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## HAMMON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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March 15, 2013

Oklahoma State Board of Education Oklahoma State Department of Education 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard Oklahoma City, Ok 73105-4599

Dear Members of the State Board of Education:

During the 2011-2012 school year Hammon Public Schools (65I066) exceeded the maximum carryover for the general fund. We humbly are requesting that the penalty for exceeding the carryover be waived for last year's excess carryover. We plan to use the excess money for a lease-purchase agreement to partially fund a new cafeteria building and Early Childhood classrooms. Our current facilities are over 50 years old and are in desperate need of replacement. The new project is approximately ¾ of the way near completion, and we will make our first lease payment in May of this year. Should you need additional information, please feel free to contact me. We thank you in advance for considering this request.

Respectfully yours,

andy Ann Stickney

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